

# Cal OES Daily Situation Report

## July 27, 2018



The Cal OES State Operations Center is activated in support of the Statewide Fires and Statewide Heat Event.

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## National Terrorism Advisory System



# SITUATION SUMMARY

## Cal OES Activation Status

State Operations Center	Inland Region EOC	Coastal Region EOC	Southern Region EOC
Level 1	Level 2	Normal Operations	Level 2

### Phase II Activation of the Heat Contingency Plan

Phase II actions of the California Heat Contingency Plan have been activated as of 07/23/18. These actions are taken as a result of the issuance of a Special Weather Statement by the National Weather Service predicting an Excessive Heat Warning for an Operational Area (OA) or power outages during warmer-than-normal weather conditions.

- An Excessive Heat Warning remains in effect for much of Southern California through Thursday evening with record high temperatures with very poor overnight recovery.
- See attached Cal OES Heat Briefing.

### **Activations**

- The Cal OES State Operations Center (SOC) is activated at a [Level 1](#) in support of the heat plan activation, [operational period 0700-1900 hours](#).
- The Cal OES Inland Region Emergency Operations Center (REOC) is activated [at Level 2, operational period 0700-1900 hours](#).
- The Cal OES Southern REOC is activated at [Level 2, operational period 0700-1900 hours](#).

### **Cal OES Regional Coordination**

- [Cal OES conducted a Statewide Weather Situational Awareness Conference Call on 07/26/18 at 1100 hours.](#)
- Cal OES Inland Region has reached out to their respective OAs and polled for their activities related to the heat.
  - See attached Inland Region OA Heat Contingency Actions.
- Cal OES Southern Region has reached out to their respective OAs and polled for their activities related to the heat.
  - See attached Southern Region OA Heat Contingency Actions.

### Cal OES INLAND REGION

- See Phase II Activation of the Heat Contingency Plan
- See Fire Activity Slides.

### Cal OES COASTAL REGION

- See Fire Activity Slides.

### Cal OES SOUTHERN REGION

- See Phase II Activation of the Heat Contingency Plan
- See Fire Activity Slides.

# **SITUATION SUMMARY**

## **Cal OES SOUTHERN REGION (Continued)**

### **Virulent Newcastle Disease (VND) in Backyard Poultry and Avian in Los Angeles, San Bernardino, and Riverside Counties**

The California Department of Food and Agriculture (CDFA) has detected virulent Newcastle Disease (VND) in chickens in Los Angeles, San Bernardino Counties, and Riverside Counties.

- On 05/16/18, CDFA detected VND in a small flock of backyard exhibition chickens in Los Angeles County, and confirmed on 05/17/18 by the United States Department of Agriculture's (USDA) Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service (APHIS).
- On 06/27/18, CDFA detected VND in backyard exhibition chickens in Riverside county and was confirmed on 06/30/18 by USDA APHIS.
- CDFA is the state lead on the incident, with support from Cal OES and in collaboration with USDA.
- USDA Incident Management Teams (IMTs) continue to rotate every two weeks to facilitate the management and support the response to the incident.
- CDFA confirmed there are no commercial premises currently involved and there is no public health risk due to this virus. Commercial surveillance actively continue to work with commercial premises in the surveillance zones on biosecurity to help protect their poultry from VND.
- Backyard Surveillance (education and outreach) continues in the surveillance zones.

### **Declaration**

- On 06/26/18 at 1840 hours, the California State Warning Center (CSWC) received a report regarding Virulent Newcastle Disease (VND) from the California Department of Food and Agriculture (CDFA). CDFA has declared an Agricultural Emergency to provide the department the authority to activate internal emergency provisions and to expedite the request for permits and waivers required to perform designated activities under an emergency basis.

### **Quarantine**

- The California Department of Food and Agriculture State Veterinarian has established an animal (defined poultry species) and animal products quarantine in designated disease control areas in the counties of San Bernardino and Riverside. The State Veterinarian's quarantine powers per the Food and Agriculture Code (Section 9562) includes the power to order movement, segregation, isolation, or destruction of animals or food products, as well as the power to hold animals or food products in place. The quarantine is effective Monday, 07/09/18. [On 07/26/18, the unincorporated community of Mentone was released from the quarantined area.](#)

### **Activations**

- San Bernardino Operational Area (OA) EOC is activated to Level 3 (lowest level) and will continue to monitor the incident.

### **Deployments**

- One (1) Cal OES Southern Region Senior Emergency Services Coordinator (ESC) is deployed to the ICP as an AREP (Agency Representative). Operational Period of 0700-1900 hours.

# **FIRE ACTIVITY**

Cal OES Fire Preparedness Levels		
National	Northern California	Southern California
Preparedness Level 4	Preparedness Level 3	Preparedness Level 4
	Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode: 3	Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode: 3

Please note: The National and Regional Preparedness Levels are maintained by the National Multi-Agency Coordination (MAC) Group and are separate from Cal OES activation levels.

## State Incidents

- Pre-Position – CA-OES-201804 – Santa Barbara County - 1 OES Strike Team (ST) of Type 1 Engines. [On 07/26/18 at 0600 hours, resource was released from pre-position and re-assigned to the Carr Fire, Shasta County.](#)

## Cal OES Fire Missions

- **2018-FIRE-48647:** [2 CNG Force Packages/8 Hand Crews. \(Coordinating\)](#)
- **2018-FIRE-47927:** Incident Number: CA-CDF-000378, 1 CNG MEDEVAC Type I rotary wing with rescue hoist capabilities assigned to support aerial firefighting operations in the State of California. [\(On Scene\)](#)
- **2018-FIRE-47755:** Incident Number: CA-CDF-000359, 1 California National Guard (CNG) remotely piloted MQ-9 or RC-26 fixed wing aircraft with persistent infrared imagery and perimeter mapping capabilities to support aerial firefighting operations in the State of California. Weather and conditions will dictate which platform will be utilized to support the requested mission. [\(On Scene\)](#)
- **2018-FIRE-47611:** CNG MEDEVAC helicopter with night vision to be positioned at Mather. [\(Mission Closed\)](#)



# FIRE ACTIVITY

## INLAND REGION

### Ferguson, Vegetation Fire, Mariposa County

Location: Hwy. 140 x Hite Cove, Near El Portal

Jurisdiction: Federal DPA, FRA, Madera-Mariposa-Merced Unit/Sierra National Forest

Start Date/Time: 07/13/18 at 2035 hours

Per Cal OES Duty Officers and ICS-209 as of [07/27/18 at 0840 hours](#):

- [45,911 acres, brush and timber, 29% contained](#)
- [Expected Containment: 08/18/18](#)
- Unified Command with USFS, CAL FIRE and Mariposa County Sheriff
- Park Service and Forest Service are in joint delegation
- Moderate fire behavior with backing, flanking and group torching
- Structures remain threatened
- Fire is burning in a high tree mortality area
- 1 Firefighter fatality

### **Activations**

- Cal OES SOC has activated at a [Level 1](#) in support of statewide fires, [operational period: 0700-1900 hours](#)
- [Cal OES Law Enforcement Branch Emergency Operations Center \(LEOC\)](#) is activated in support of statewide fires.
- Cal OES Inland REOC is activated [at Level 2, operational period 0700-1900 hours](#).
- Mariposa County Emergency Operations Center (EOC) activated at Level 2, operational period 0700-1900 hours

### **Deployments**

- [2 Cal OES Fire and Rescue Branch Assistant Chiefs](#) and 1 Mechanic
- [1 Cal OES Law Enforcement Branch Assistant Chief](#)
- 1 Cal OES Inland Region Emergency Services Coordinator (ESC) to the Mariposa County EOC
- 3 Cal OES Public Safety Communications Technicians and 1 Trainee

### **Proclamations**

- On 07/15/18, Mariposa County submitted a Proclamation of Local Emergency. The county is requesting CDAA to assist with recovery efforts.
  - On 07/19/18, Mariposa County submitted the Ratified Proclamation.
- On 07/26/18, Governor Edmund G. Brown Jr. issued an emergency proclamation for Mariposa County due to the effects of the Ferguson Fire, which has threatened homes and critical infrastructure and caused power outages and the evacuation of residents. [Click here for full Proclamation](#)

# **FIRE ACTIVITY**

## **INLAND REGION (Continued)**

### **Ferguson, Vegetation Fire, Mariposa County (Continued)**

#### **Evacuations**

Per the Cal OES Law Enforcement Duty Officer (LDO) as of [07/27/18 at 0821 hours](#):

- Mandatory evacuations:
  - Population estimate pending
  - Anderson Valley
  - [Cedar Lodge/Indian Flat Campground](#)
  - [East Westfall Road to Chowchilla mountain Road, and all side roads](#)
  - El Portal Trailer Ct.
  - Foresta
  - [Incline Road from Foresta Bridge to the last BLM campground](#)
  - Lushmeadows Community
  - Old El Portal
  - Old Yosemite Rd.
  - [Ponderosa Basin Community](#)
  - Rancheria Flat – Government Housing
  - [Savage's Trading Post](#)
  - [Tip Top Road from Triangle Rd. to Gunther Rd., including Gunther Rd.](#)
  - [Triangle Road from Darrah Rd. in the Lushmeadows area to Hwy 49 South, and all side roads](#)
  - Yosemite View Lodge
  - Yosemite West
- Yosemite National Park announces Yosemite Valley and Wawona closed at 1200 hours on 07/25/18, to all visitors due to the ongoing impacts of the Ferguson Fire.
  - This will in effect close Hwy. 41 into Yosemite National Park.
  - These closures include all hotels, campgrounds, and visitor services in Yosemite Valley and Wawona.
  - Park visitors currently staying in park campgrounds and lodging facilities are asked to be out of these areas by 1200 hours on 07/25/18.
  - With the ongoing closure of Hwy. 140, park visitors can exit the park via Hwy. 120 and 41.
  - The temporary closure is expected to last until Sunday, 07/29/18.
  - The Mariposa Grove of Giant Sequoias is closed.

# FIRE ACTIVITY

## INLAND REGION (Continued)

### Ferguson, Vegetation Fire, Mariposa County (Continued)

#### **Road Closures**

Per the LDO as of 07/27/18 at 0821 hours:

- Hwy. 140 from 1.9 miles east of Midpines to Cedar Lodge

#### **Shelters**

- Mariposa County Elementary School, 5044 Jones St., Mariposa, Mariposa County
  - Midnight shelter count : 35
- Weaverville Elementary School, 234 Trinity Lakes Boulevard, Weaverville, Trinity County
  - Midnight shelter count: 15



# **FIRE ACTIVITY**

## **INLAND REGION (Continued)**

### **Ferguson, Vegetation Fire, Mariposa County (Continued)**

#### **Animal Shelters**

- Small Animal Shelter: SPCA of Mariposa County, 5599 CA-49, Mariposa
- Large Animal Shelters:
  - Mariposa County Fairgrounds: 5007 Fairgrounds Rd., Mariposa
  - Coarsegold Rodeo Grounds: 44777 Rodeo Grounds Ln., Coarsegold (standby status)

#### **Critical Infrastructure**

Per CUEA as of 07/27/18 at 1000 hours:

- Total power outages is 649 customers
  - Sending a Sat COLT and 10 handsets to Groveland.

#### **Health and Medical**

- Mariposa County Human Services has set up a dedicated line for residents with Access and Functional Needs (AFN) who may need assistance in evacuating. Toll free number is 1-833-423-0816.
- County Mass Care and Shelter Team stood up a rostered Evacuation Team available for deployment in the event that an evacuation occurs in an area where AFN individuals are affected. They maintain a database and have contacted those individuals.
- County Human Services has distributed information on how residents can construct do-it-yourself air scrubbers consisting of a box fan and an air conditioner filter. For some populations, Human Services is providing the kit and constructing/installing them.
- Due to the extended outlook for hazardous air quality, a Cal OES Inland ESC coordinated with Madera and Merced Counties to stock up Mariposa County with N95 masks (630 adult and 200 pediatric masks).

#### **Missions**

- See Cal OES Mission Tasking Slide

#### **Law Enforcement**

- LEMA: 12 in-region officers will be will staff dayshift 07/26/18.
- CHP has increased from 3 to 5 officers assigned to fire related duties.

#### **Recovery**

- The County Administrator's Office has taken the lead for recovery and is in the process of updating their recovery website. Currently, this mainly focuses on processes for cleaning out spoiled food from extended power outages.

# **FIRE ACTIVITY**

## **INLAND REGION (Continued)**

### **Carr, Vegetation Fire, Shasta County**

Location: Hwy. 299 x Carr Powerhouse Rd., Whiskeytown

Jurisdiction: Federal/State DPA, FRA/SRA, Whiskeytown National Park/Shasta-Trinity Unit

Start/Date Time: 07/23/18 at 1316

Per Cal OES Duty Officers and ICS-209 as of **07/27/18 at 0909 hours**:

- 44,450 acres (+15,687 acres), grass, oak woodland and timber, 3% contained (-7% containment)
- Continued extreme fire behavior, numerous spot fires
- Long range spotting and crowing
- Ongoing threat to 4,978 residences, 12 commercial buildings and 22 other multiple residences
- 65 residence destroyed, 55 residence damaged
- Numerous sail boats and boats have been damaged or destroyed at Oak Bottom Marina
- Damage assessment is ongoing
- Threat to Keswick hydroelectric facility, Carr Powerhouse and Iron Mountain Mine
- Threat to BLM Chappie OHV Park
- Continued threat to 115kV and 230kV powerlines
- Threat to Western Area Power Administration, which powers numerous Northern Coastal Communities
- Threat to private timberlands
- CAL FIRE IMT-1 (Gouvea), Whiskeytown NP (Young)
- Federal air and ground resources committed
- 2 firefighter fatalities

### **Activations**

- Cal OES SOC has activated at a **Level 1** in support of statewide fires, **operational period: 0700-1900 hours**
- Cal OES LEOC is activated in support of statewide fires.
- Cal OES Inland REOC is activated at **Level 2**, **operational period 0700-1900 hours**.
- Shasta County EOC is activated at **Level 1**, **operational period 0700-1900 hours**
- CHP Valley and Northern EOC are fully activated.

# FIRE ACTIVITY

## INLAND REGION (Continued)

### Carr, Vegetation Fire, Shasta County (Continued)

#### **Deployments**

- 2 Cal OES Fire and Rescue Branch Assistant Chiefs
- 2 Cal OES Law Enforcement Branch Assistant Chiefs
- 1 Cal OES Inland Region ESC
- 2 Cal OES Inland Region Senior ESCs
- 1 Cal OES Deputy Regional Administrator
- 1 Cal OES Regional Administrator
- 2 Cal OES Public Safety Communications Technicians and 3 trainees
- 1 Cal OES TACCOM Assistant Chief
- Cal OES Disaster Logistics Team mobilized to open a staging area with support supplies

#### **FMAG**

- On 07/23/18 at 1711 hours, an FMAG request was received from the Incident.
  - On 07/23/18 at 2000 hours, the FMAG was approved- #FM-5259

# **FIRE ACTIVITY**

## **INLAND REGION (Continued)**

### **Carr, Vegetation Fire, Shasta County (Continued)**

#### **Proclamation**

- On 07/26/18, Governor Edmund G. Brown Jr. issued emergency proclamations for Riverside and Shasta counties due to the effects of the Cranston and Carr fires, which have destroyed homes and structures, threatened critical infrastructure and caused the evacuation of residents.  
[Click here for the full proclamation](#)

#### **Evacuations**

- Mandatory evacuations, [approximately 27,954 people](#):
  - French Gulch area
  - Whiskey Creek Rd. and Campground
  - Communities of Keswick and Old Shasta
  - Swassey Rd.
  - [Victoria Highlands](#)
  - [West/Northwest Redding, west of I-5](#)

#### **Road Closures**

- [Hwy. 299 between SR-3 and I-5](#)

#### **Shelters**

- American Red Cross (ARC) Shelters:
  - Weaverville Elementary, 234 Trinity Lakes Blvd., Weaverville, Trinity County
    - [Midnight shelter count: 21](#)
  - Shasta High School, 2500 Eureka Way, Redding ([Closed, population moved to Shasta College as of 07/26/18 at 2038 hours](#))

#### **Independent Shelters:**

- Grace Baptist Church, 3782 Churn Creek Rd, Redding
  - Population – Unknown (CDSS Reps will attempt to collect information once on scene)
  - Capacity – Unknown (CDSS Reps will attempt to collect information once on scene)
- Rolling Hills Casino, 2655 Everett Freeman Way, Corning
  - Population – Unknown (CDSS Reps will attempt to collect information once on scene)
  - Capacity – Unknown (CDSS Reps will attempt to collect information once on scene)



# FIRE ACTIVITY

## INLAND REGION (Continued)

### Carr, Vegetation Fire, Shasta County (Continued)

#### **Shelters (Continued)**

- American Red Cross (ARC) Shelters:
  - Cross Pointe Community Church, 2960 Hartnell Ave., Redding
    - Midnight Shelter count: 11
  - Shasta College, 11555 Old Oregon Trail, Redding
    - Midnight Shelter count: 562

#### **Animal Shelters**

- Trinity County Animal Control is assisting

#### **Critical Infrastructure**

Per CUEA as of 07/27/18 at 0057 hours:

- 1 AT&T site is offline, 2 AT&T sites are threatened near the northern border of the Carr Fire.
- Fire crews are stationed in French Gulch and near the AT&T Central Office (CO).
- These are now the most critical AT&T sites:
  - French Gulch CO (1DS3 of service), Microwave Interactive Output Facility (IOF) transport of all local exchange service in the area
  - French Gulch Passive Repeater, Repeater for Hoadley Peak to French Gulch Microwave IOF route
- PG&E is shutting off gas service to the following areas:
  - Lake Redding Estates at Harlem Dr. and Quartz Hill Rd. (Approximately 150 connections)
  - Sunset West off Hwy. 299 and Buenaventura Blvd. (Approximately 100 connections)
- Redding Electric customers without power: 3,200
- PG&E customers without power: 1,120
- Per Cal OES IDO as 07/27/18 at 0901 hours, PG&E power has been restored in the Incline area.
- Fire has reached Keswick Dam below Shasta, making it inaccessible, and is moving toward Shasta Dam.
- Carr Powerplant, Keswick Dam, Shasta Dam and the Area Office at Shasta Dam are under evacuation and are unstaffed. All employees are out of the affected area.



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# **FIRE ACTIVITY**

## **INLAND REGION (Continued)**

### **Carr, Vegetation Fire, Shasta County (Continued)**

#### **Health and Medical**

- Patients' Hospital of Redding has closed due to the evacuation order. All patients have been discharged and none needed to be evacuated. All staff members have been sent home.
- Vibra Hospital and Skilled Nursing Facility in Redding is being evacuated.
- Mercy Medical Center Redding has evacuated neonatal patients to a sister facility. No other patients were evacuated.

#### **Missions**

- See Cal OES Mission Tasking Slide

#### **Law Enforcement**

- Law Enforcement Mutual Aid (LEMA): Siskiyou Co SO, Lassen Co SO, Trinity Co SO, Tehama Co SO, Red Bluff PD, Corning PD
- CHP Officers assisting local law enforcement; 46 from Northern Division, 53 from Valley Division SRT

# FIRE ACTIVITY

## INLAND REGION (Continued)

### Roxie, Vegetation Fire, Lassen County

Location: Roxie Peconom Campground, West of Willard Cr, 10 miles west of Susanville

Jurisdiction: State DPA, FRA, Lassen-Modoc Unit/ Lassen National Forest

Start Date/Time: 07/24/18 at 1602 hours

Per Cal OES Duty Officers and ICS-209 as of [07/27/18 at 0840 hours](#):

- 167 acres, (+0 acres), Timber, 70% contained (+0% contained)
- Continued threat to private timber lands
- Federal ground and air resources committed

### **Activations**

- Cal OES SOC has activated at a [Level 1](#) in support of statewide fires, [operational period: 0700-1900 hours](#)
- [Cal OES LEOC is activated in support of statewide fires.](#)
- Cal OES Inland REOC is activated [at Level 2, operational period 0700-1900 hours.](#)

### **Deployments**

- 1 Cal OES Fire and Rescue Branch Assistant Chief



# FIRE ACTIVITY

## COASTAL REGION

### Marsh, Vegetation Fire, Contra Costa County

Location: Marsh Creek Rd. X Bragdon Way, 2 miles east of Mount Diablo

Jurisdiction: State DPA, SRA, Santa-Clara Unit

Start date/time: 07/25/18 at 1441 hours

Per Cal OES Duty Officers as of 07/27/18 at 0840 hours:

- 247 acres (+ 0 acres) grass and oak woodland, 75% contained (+0% contained)
- Forward spread has been stopped
- Multiple structures destroyed
- Threat to 230kV power lines

### **FMAG**

- On 07/25/18, an FMAG was received from the incident. As of 07/25/18 at 2110 hours, the FMAG request has been placed on hold by the Incident Commander and will be resubmitted if the fire situation changes.

### **Evacuations**

- Marsh Creek Springs near Leon Dr. and Morgan Territory Rd.

### **Shelters**

- Contra Costa County has staffed 2 Evacuation Centers:
  - Clayton Meeting Hall (next to Clayton Library), 6125 Clayton Rd., Clayton
    - Midnight Count: 6 overnight visitors. (Closing 07/27/18)
    - Per Contra Costa County OES there is no AFN issue.
  - Brentwood Community Center/Library, 35 Oak St., Brentwood
    - Midnight Count: 8

### **Road Closures**

- Marsh Creek Rd. and Morgan Territory Rd.

### **Critical Infrastructure**

Per CDO as of 07/26/18 at 0849 hours:

- Power is back on in the majority of the affected area with the exception of Aspara Dr.

Per CUEA as of 07/26/18 at 1647 hours:

- AT&T has several cell sites down due to burned fiber optic cables.
  - No customer impact, AT&T found a bypass system.
  - Techs are onsite restoring burned fiber. 1 mobility site is down, ETR is 07/25/18 at 2200 hours.
- Verizon Wireless has a critical site at risk



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# **FIRE ACTIVITY**

## **SOUTHERN REGION**

### **Ribbon, Vegetation Fire, Riverside County**

Location: Hwy 74 x Ribbonwood Dr., east of Anza

Jurisdiction: State DPA, SRA, Riverside Unit, San Bernardino National Forest

Start date/time: 07/26/18 at 1014 hours

Per Cal OES Duty Officers as of 07/27/18 at 0840 hours:

- 200 acres, brush and timber, 30% contained
- Forward rate of spread has been stopped
- Threat to structures, communities and national monuments has been reduced
- Federal air and ground resources committed

### **Activations**

- Cal OES SOC has activated at a **Level 1** in support of statewide fires, operational period: 0700-1900 hours
- Cal OES LEOC is activated in support of statewide fires.
- Cal OES Southern REOC is activated at Level 2, operational period 0700-1900 hours.
- Riverside County EOC is activated at Level 3 (lowest level)

### **Deployments**

- 1 Cal OES Southern Region ESC deployed to Riverside County EOC
- 1 Cal OES Law Enforcement Branch Deputy Chief

### **Evacuations**

- See Evacuations for the Cranston Fire

### **Road Closures**

- See Road Closures for the Cranston Fire

### **Shelter**

- Care and Reception Center, Palm Desert High School, 74910 Aztec Rd., Palm Desert

# FIRE ACTIVITY

## SOUTHERN REGION (Continued)

### Cranston, Vegetation Fire, Riverside County

Location: Hwy. 74 x Control Rd., 7 miles E of Hemet

Jurisdiction: Federal DPA, SRA/FRA, Riverside Unit, San Bernardino National Forest

Start date/time: 07/25/18 at 1141 hours

Per Cal OES Duty Officers and ICS-209 as of [07/27/18 at 0840 hours](#):

- [11,500 acres, brush and timber, 3% contained](#)
- In Unified Command with USFS, CAL FIRE, Riverside County and Riverside Sheriff
- Active fire behavior with uphill runs, flanking and torching
- Structures remain threatened
- Sewer treatment plant threatened

### **Activations**

- Cal OES SOC has activated at a [Level 1](#) in support of statewide fires, [operational period: 0700-1900 hours](#)
- [Cal OES LEOC is activated in support of statewide fires.](#)
- Cal OES Southern REOC is activated at [Level 2, operational period 0700-1900 hours.](#)
- Riverside County EOC is activated at Level 3 (lowest level)
- Southern California Edison EOC is activated
- San Diego Gas & Electric is activated at Level 1 (lowest level)

### **Deployments**

- 1 Cal OES Southern Region ESC deployed to Riverside County EOC
- [1 Cal OES Law Enforcement Branch Assistant Chief](#)
- [3 Cal OES Fire and Rescue Branch Assistant Chiefs](#)
- [4 Public Safety Communications Technicians](#)

### **FMAG**

- On 07/25/18, an FMAG was received from the incident and approved by FEMA; FM-5260.

### **Proclamation**

- On 07/25/18, a Proclamation from Riverside County was received due to the effects of the Cranston Fire. The county is requesting a Gubernatorial Proclamation.
- [On 07/26/18, Governor Edmund G. Brown Jr. issued emergency proclamations for Riverside and Shasta counties due to the effects of the Cranston and Carr fires, which have destroyed homes and structures, threatened critical infrastructure and caused the evacuation of residents. Click here for the full proclamation](#)



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# FIRE ACTIVITY

## SOUTHERN REGION (Continued)

### Cranston, Vegetation Fire, Riverside County (Continued)

#### **Evacuations**

- Mandatory Evacuation Orders:
  - Population estimate pending
  - [Apple Canyon Area](#)
  - [Cedar Glen](#)
  - [Camp Scherman Girl Scout Camp](#)
  - Fern Valley
  - [Hurkey Creek Area](#)
  - Idyllwild
  - [Lake Hemet Area](#)
  - Mountain Center Community
    - Approximately 11,000 people impacted, 60% residences and 40% vacation rentals
  - [Mt San Jacinto State Park](#)
  - Pine Cove
- Evacuation Warning Areas:
  - Hwy. 243 at Cairin Hill south to Hwy. 243 x Ridgeview
  - Chipmunk and Upper Indian Rock areas
  - Forest Haven area
  - Idyllwild Pines Camp area
  - [Paradise Zone at Highway 371](#)

#### **Road Closures**

- Hwy. 74 is closed [between Cranston Ranger Station & Lake Hemet](#)
- Hwy 243 between Banning City Limits & Hwy 74

#### **Shelters**

- Banning High School 100 W Westward Ave., Banning
  - [Midnight Shelter Count: 43](#)
  - Staffed by Riverside County Department of Social Services, with an ARC Liaison onsite
- [Care and Reception Center, Hamilton High School, 57430 Mitchell Rd., Anza](#)
  - [Midnight Shelter Count: Unknown](#)
- [Palm Desert High School, 74910 Aztec Wy. Palm Desert \(Closed\)](#)



# **FIRE ACTIVITY**

## **SOUTHERN REGION (Continued)**

### **Cranston, Vegetation Fire, Riverside County (Continued)**

#### **Animal Shelter**

- San Jacinto Valley Animal Campus, 581 S. Grand Ave., San Jacinto (accepting all animals)
- Dysart Equestrian Park, 2101 West Victory, Banning

#### **Critical Infrastructure**

Per CUEA on 07/27/18 as of 1000 hours:

- Approximately 12,057 Southern California Edison (SCE) customers remain without power.

Per the SCE Representative in the Riverside County EOC via Cal OES Southern Region as of 07/25/18:

- The Town of Idyllwild is without power (approximately 4,000 customers)
- Anza Electric de-energized their affected area (5,200 customers)

#### **Law Enforcement**

- Law Enforcement Mutual Aid (LEMA) - Riverside Sheriff jurisdiction. No LEMA requests or unmet needs

# MAJOR ROAD / HIGHWAY / BRIDGE CLOSURES

Major Road Closures		
Northern California	Central California	Southern California
No Lifeline Route Closures	No Lifeline Route Closures	No Lifeline Route Closures

## Lifeline Routes

- There are no Lifeline Route closures.

## Non-Lifeline Routes:

Inyo County:

- SR 168 is closed 16 miles west of Bishop at Sage Rd. due to a [mudslide](#). Estimated time of reopening is unknown.

## Wildfire Closures:

- See Fire Activity Slides.

## Emergency Center Activations:

- The Caltrans Department Operations Center is open at Level I in support of the July Statewide Fires.

## Interactive Travel Forecast Map Based on Weather Conditions Provided by National Weather Service (Prototype)

<http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/wrh/travel/?wfo=mtr>



Click on the Caltrans Logo to check  
current highway conditions.  
*You can also call 1-800-427-7623 for  
current highway conditions.*



## California 911 System

CA 911 Outages		
Northern California	Central California	Southern California
No 911 Outages	No 911 Outages	No 911 Outages

### 911 Outages/Remote/Community Isolations:

- None reported.

### Service Interruptions:

- None reported.



# WEATHER OF CONCERN

## Weather of Concern

### **Northern California:**

- Red Flag Warning is in effect for portions of Shasta and Tehama counties until midnight 07/28/18 due to very hot, dry, plume dominated fire weather conditions.
- Red Flag Warning in effect this afternoon through evening for a portion of Del Norte County.
- Excessive Heat Warning for the Kern County Desert has been extended through Saturday.

### **Southern California:**

- Most Excessive Heat Warnings end tonight, but some remain for inland southern California until Saturday night.

### **Weather Advisories, Watches, and Warnings currently active in California:**

- <http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/hazardSummary/?state=ca>

### **Active Weather Warnings, Watches and Advisories by County:**

- <http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/hazardSummary/?state=ca&bycounty=1>

# WEATHER SYNOPSIS BY REGION

## **NORTHERN CALIFORNIA**

VERY Hot and Dry with Poor Overnight RH Recovery Inland from the Coast through the Weekend, then Gradual Cooling SW-NW Gusts 25-35 mph through Coast Range Gaps and Passes into Western Sacramento Valley Each Afternoon through Night through Sunday Strong high pressure will continue producing hot and dry conditions throughout Northern California through the weekend, except along the immediate coast. Winds aloft are light, but at the surface local winds associated with the thermal low and the sea breeze are making it difficult to control ongoing wildfires. Each day through Sunday from the late afternoon hours until around midnight SW-NW winds through the gaps and passes in the coastal mountains and into the west side of the Sacramento Valley will gust to 25-35 mph, and relative humidity (RH) recovery in these areas is only to 25-40%. These winds gradually weaken from midnight until sunrise, then start up again in the afternoon. Inland temperatures will peak at 8-12 degrees above normal with minimum RH 5-15% in the drier areas.

On Monday and Tuesday the high will shift a bit farther east and a light SW flow aloft will develop. The marine layer will deepen and move a bit farther inland each afternoon with a stronger onshore flow. Temperatures will cool a bit, but still reach 5-9 degrees above normal. There is a better chance that the delta breeze will reach the northern Sacramento Valley with higher humidity Mon/Tues. On Wednesday the high will weaken as a low pressure trough in the Pacific NW pushes south. A stronger westerly flow can be expected, along with higher humidity, cooler temperatures and better overnight RH recovery.

## **SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA**

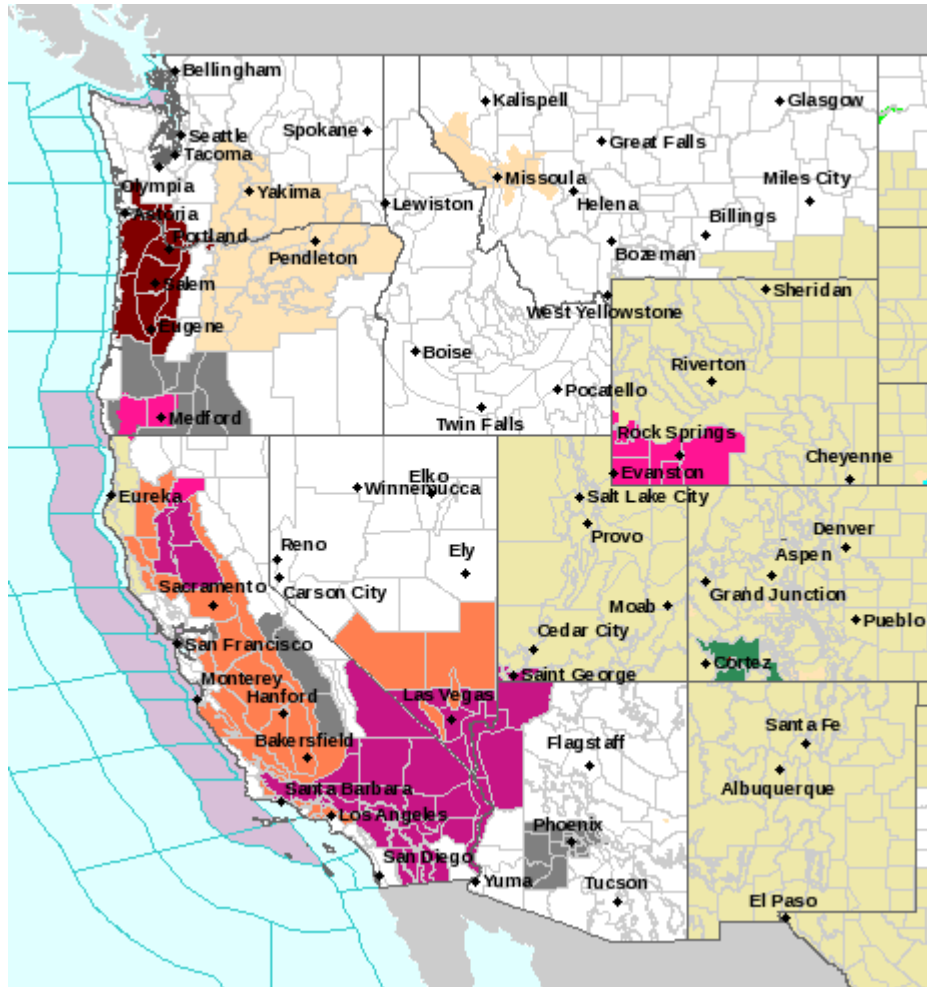
Isolated thunderstorms through Saturday and then scattered thunderstorms Sunday through the middle of next week

Hot through the middle of next week

Minor amounts of moisture moving around the strong high over the Desert Southwest will continue to bring isolated afternoon showers and wet thunderstorms to the Sierra Crest and Northern Deserts as well as the mountains and higher desert locations of Southern California east of the Cajon Pass through Saturday. Moisture will increase starting Sunday over Southern California and Monday over Central California bringing scattered afternoon showers and thunderstorms to these same areas. The shower and thunderstorm threat will come to an end late next week as high pressure weakens and the flow aloft becomes westerly. Temperatures will be 5 to 10 degrees above normal through Wednesday, with mid-80s to mid-90s across the mountains and mid-90s to 108 in the valleys. Minimum humidity will be mainly in the teens away from the coastal areas through Saturday. Humidity will increase and be above 20% across Southern California starting Sunday and above 20% over the Sierra starting Monday. Minimum humidity will be mainly in the single digits and teens across the interior portions of the Central Coast through the end of next week. Temperatures will cool to near or a little above normal by the end of next week as the high pressure over the Desert Southwest weakens. Westerly afternoon and evening winds of 20 to 30 mph with gusts to 50 mph will surface across the desert passes late next week.



# WEATHER MAP



- [Flash Flood Warning](#)
- [Severe Weather Statement](#)
- [Flood Warning](#)
- [Excessive Heat Warning](#)
- [Flash Flood Watch](#)
- [Red Flag Warning](#)
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- [Small Craft Advisory For Hazardous Seas](#)
- [Small Craft Advisory](#)
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# Cal OES LAW ENFORCEMENT MISSIONS

## Cal OES Law Missions

- **2018-LAW-48652: 07/26/18, 1259 hours:** AFRCC advised that the US Coast Guard detected an SOS signal over Contra Costa County during a patrol flight. USCG provided the coordinates of 37 56.17N, -121 53.7W. AFRCC had no further information or device type. LDO contacted USCG Sector San Francisco and inquired further. USCG reports that an “SOS” signal was detected on Marine Radio CH. 16, plotting to the provided coordinates. Contra Costa Sheriff Dispatch contacted by LDO; CCSO confirmed they had the mission. Ground deputies and a helicopter searched the area. UTL anyone in distress. **Mission Closed.**
- **2018-LAW-48620:** CNG Armory in support of the Carr Fire, Shasta County. (Coordinating)
- **2018-LAW-48591, 07/24/18, 1627 hours:** Mendocino County Sheriff’s Office (MCSO) requesting assistance in searching for a missing person, who has not been seen since early February 2018. MCSO requesting 50 Type-1 or Type-2 ground searchers and 5 HRD K9 teams for one operational period, to meet for a 0900 hours briefing on Saturday, 07/28/18, at the ICP located in the Mendocino Pass area. Cal OES Law Enforcement Branch is coordinating the request. **Update:** 07/24/18, 2203 hours, State SAR K9 Coordinator advised 5 HRD K9 teams set to deploy for Saturday and MCSO updated. **Update: 07/26/18, 2123 hours:** Marin SO (20 searchers), Lake SO (10 searchers), San Mateo SO (8 searchers), Contra Costa SO (10 searchers). **Mission Ongoing.**

# **Cal OES MISSION TASKING**

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- **2018-IREOC-48678:** 1 CDSS rep to report to Shasta County EOC at 0700 hours on 07/27/18. (Coordinating)
- **2018-SOC-48677:** Ground transport for mass care and shelter supplies. (Coordinating)
- **2018-IREOC-48665:** 1 air monitoring ray in Shasta County. (Coordinating)
- **2018-SOC-48661:** State Agency Reps in the SOC. (On Scene)
- **2018-SOC-48645:** Caltrans Agency Reps to support A shift and B Shift at Riverside County EOC. (On Scene)
- **2018-SREOC-48635:** 1 CDSS Representative on-site at the Southern REOC. (On Scene)
- **2018-IREOC-48632:** 1 CDSS representative for the Inland REOC. (Released/Demobilizing)
- **2018-Coastal-48555:** 1 Air Monitor for Humboldt County due to wildfire smoke. (Coordinating)
- **2018-IREOC-48516:** 1 air monitor for El Dorado County due to impacts in South Lake Tahoe from the Northern CA fires. (Coordinating)
- **2018-IREOC-48236:** 1 portable air monitor requested at Camp Mather in Tuolumne County. (On Scene)
- **2018-IREOC-48201:** 5 portable air quality monitors for the Ferguson Incident. (On Scene)
- **2018-CREOC-48046:** DTSC to clear debris from Pawnee Fire.
- **2018-IREOC-47791:** 2018 June Inland Fires - 2 portable air quality monitors were requested; one to be located at the Esparto Community Services District facility, 26490 Woodland Ave., Esparto, and one to be located at the fenced well site, 501 E. Main St., Winters. (On Scene)
- **2018-IREOC-45244:** Caltrans to remove dead and dying trees along highways in Kern, Tulare, Fresno, Madera, Mariposa, Tuolumne, Calaveras, Butte, Plumas, Sierra, Shasta, and Lassen counties. (On Scene – Long-term assignment)
- **2017-SOC-44098:** 2017 December Wildfires - CalRecycle Debris Management Team in Ventura County. (Coordinating)
- **2017-Inland-42559:** Weather station installed to gather real time rainfall data by Air Resources Control Board (ARB). (On Scene)





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